

NEWSLETTER

Congregation Sons of Israel

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FRIDAY NIGHT SABBATH SERVICE

August 4, 2006 @7:30 P.M.

*The Service will be led by Bernie Horowitz
Dan Leavitt will give the talk*

The Oneg will be sponsored by:
Harvey and Diane Elefson
In Honor of the Wedding of Harvey's son!

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SATURDAY MINYANS-----Start at 8:00 A.M.
SUNDAY MINYANS-----Start at 8:30 A.M.

Time to Kindle Sabbath Candles for August 2006

August 4th -----7:43 p.m.
August 11th -----7:34 p.m.
August 18th -----7:24 p.m.
August 25th -----7:13 p.m.

Everyone is Invited to Help Celebrate these Rituals & Social Events!!

Saturday-August 5, 2006-----

**Kiddush Sponsored by:
Stephen and Leslie Greenberg
In honor of their grandson Matthew's
4th Birthday!**



Saturday-August 12, 2006-----

**Kiddush Sponsored by:
Harvey and Taffy Marron
In honor of Joel and Mary Marron**



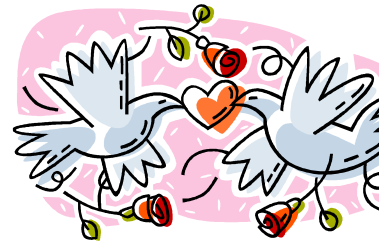
Saturday-August 19, 2006-----

**Kiddush sponsored by:
Barry and Rosalyn Abrams
In honor of Barry's Birthday!**



Saturday-August 26, 2006-----

**Kiddush sponsored by:
Stephen and Leslie Greenberg
In honor of their 41st Wedding
Anniversary!**



What a Wonderful Way to let us Share in your Joy and do a Good Deed at the same time! Celebrate your Simchas, Mitzvahs and Blessings with an Oneg on Friday night or a Kiddush on Saturday or Sunday morning at our Shul! Your dedicated Social Committee will do all the work in preparing and serving. For more information call Ruth or Barbara Sigel, at 1-978-536-2018. We look forward to hearing from you soon!

A MESSAGE FROM AVROM

Shalom!

Thank you for everyone's care and concern. As you may know, I have recently been diagnosed with lymphoma, a treatable and curable disease. I have started treatments and they will be developing and continuing during the coming weeks. While I appreciate support, I will be needing rest, so visits and extended phone calls are probably not advised right now.

I am confident, hopeful, and trust in G-d to help me in this challenge. The love and care of Merrill, Matt, Jeremy, all my family and dear friends have been a source of strength for me.

Your support of the Shul is much appreciated, and it helps my recovery. The wonderful leaders and workers of the Shul have stepped forward, and I am heartened by how well the Synagogue is being cared for. I continue to be involved, and look forward to my return!

Avrom J. Herbster
Ritual Director

email: avrom.herbster@nlrb.gov

Get Ready for the Great Shofar Blowout !



What's louder than 400 shofars sounded in unison? Hopefully, many more as the North Shore attempts to reclaim the Guinness World Record for "largest shofar ensemble," originally set at 386 shofars in 2004 and then topped by Philadelphia in 2005 with 400 shofars.

To prepare for the Great Shofar Blowout of 2006, to be held September 17 at Congregation Shirat Hayam and Phillips Beach in Swampscott at 3 p.m., there are several remaining community shofar training sessions scheduled. Those who attend, will be given a free shofar from Israel and a lesson on the mitzvah of the shofar and how to sound it and educational materials, valued at \$42.

Shofar training for the Blowout is free for adults and teens, age 12 and older, from Jewish and interfaith families. Free shofars are available for those who have not already received one and who register for the Great Shofar Blowout. Young children will receive a free toy shofar at the Blowout.

The Great Shofar Blowout is a free program of the Robert I. Lappin Charitable Foundation, which sponsors programs that are helping to keep our children Jewish.

Hello!

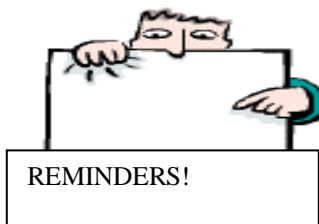
This idea of this upcoming shofar blowout really blows my mind. The thought of 400+ people on the beach, on September 17th, is spectacular. I was so enthused that I schlepped Sally up to Gloucester a few weeks ago to attend the training session. Of course, the promise of a nice seafood dinner helped persuade her to come along. We did receive a free shofar, and about an hour of training. There were 12 or so people there, all ages, ready to learn how to sound the shofar. Some got it, some not. The thing is they want to be a part of this event. I decided to go to an early session, so I'll have all summer to practice. I'm pleased that Leslie contacted the Lappin Foundation, so we can have our own training, right in the comfort of our "shul". The date for training is September 6th at 7:30 PM. A call to the foundation will register you. (Contact Julie Newburg at 978-740-4404)

I'd love to see a huge participation of Congregation Sons of Israel members, family members, children, grandchildren and friends are all invited. Come one, come all. It was fun learning how to sound, and will be even more fun, attending the "event". Let's be heard. Let our "little shul" make a big sound. If you are interested, please contact the Shul by leaving a message at 978-532-1624 or e-mail a message at peabodyshul@yahoo.com.

See you there.

Dan Leavitt
VP





The Shul is sending *Get Well* cards and *Sympathy* cards to our Congregants. Please call Rhoda Kellerman at 1-978-535-0102, to inform her of any illness or condolences.

To all our Congregants, when making a donation please write reason, and specify on your check and envelope whether it is designated for the *General Fund* or *Trust Fund*! Mail to *Congregation Sons of Israel- P.O. Box 702-Peabody, MA 01960*



The Trustees of the Shul have voted to continue our support of North Shore Children's Hospital. We will help pay for supplies for the Activity Carts already purchased. This will be an ongoing campaign. Please send checks to: Congregation Sons of Israel, P.O. Box 702, Peabody, MA 01902.

DEDICATE A PRAYER BOOK



You can dedicate a book for a \$25.00 donation. We will prepare a beautiful inscribed label and insert it into a book in memory or in honor of a loved one or a happy event. Send request and donation to: *Congregation Sons of Israel- P.O. Box 702-Peabody, MA 01960,*

SHUL in midst of CYBERAGE!!



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Leslie Greenberg and Ruth Sigel
Avrom Herbster
Stephen and Leslie Greenberg
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The following are gifts received **June 1, 2006 to June 30, 2006** designated to the Congregation's General Fund or the Trust Fund. These gifts may be given to honor the memory of a loved one or friend, to observe a yahrtzeit, to acknowledge a "simcha", or for any reason. The Shul very much appreciates these donations. They are needed, and they help to sustain the Shul. Send all gifts to Congregation Sons of Israel, Box 702, Peabody, MA 01960, and note the designated fund on the check and envelope

General Fund

In memory of Barbara Zeitlan
From: Paul and Ira Neiterman
From: Paul and Jane Korins
From: Aida Katz
From: Norman and Ellen Erlich
From: Sheppard Mullen
From: Jack Lehman & Alice Shactman
From: Bob and Joan Goodman
From: Kathleen Laubenthal
From: Ann, Rick, Amanda & Jake Schwartz
From: Rose Lipkus
From: Kate Gover
From: Sid and Anita Redner & Family
From: Jane, Jerry, and Shara Rabinovitz

In memory of mother Lottie Levy
From: Marilyn Shaw

Yazheits
From: Al Silverman

In memory of mother Lottie Levy
From: Richard Klepper

In memory of father Alfred Abraham Tack
From: Barbara Mirsky

In memory of Irene Sacks
From: Michael and Arlene Greenstein

In memory of father Max Singer
From: Jerry Singer

In memory of Irene Sacks
From: Mara Cohen

In memory of father Michael Wiseman
From: Aaron Wiseman

General Fund

In memory of Harry & Hanna Klein
In memory of Sophia Friedman
From: Bob and Claire Friedman

In memory of mother-in-law Minna Levine
From: Shirley Levine

In memory of mother Helena Rosen
From: Eric & Heather Rosen

In memory of Hyman Talkowsky
From Max Talkowsky

Yazheits
From: Eva Kolatka

Speedy Recovery and Good Health
To Avrom Herbster
From: Harvey and Diane Elefson
From: Jerry and Sue Wolper
From: Bebe Karelitz

Speedy Recovery and Good Health
To Paul Olans
From: Stan and Sandy Simons

Edward Edelstein Memorial Trust Fund

A wish for a speedy recovery to good health for Avrom Herbster
From: Freda Kravetz & Melvin Wolfe
From: Harvey & Paula Chandler
From: Ruth Barrel
From: Leslie & Steve Greenberg

A wish for a speedy recovery to good health for Merrill Herbster
From: Freda Kravetz & Melvin Wolfe

In gratitude for my 89th birthday
From: Lillian Aronson

In memory of Irene Sacks
From: Barbara & Ruth Sigel
From: Eliot & Karen Edelstein

In memory of mother-in-law of Dr. Wm. Orenberg
Mazel-tov to Bernie & Anita Horowitz on marriage of daughter
In memory of Milton Komie, husband, father & grandfather
From: Bea & Sumner Greenberg

A wish for a fast return to good health for Paul Olans
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From: Leslie & Steve Greenberg

A wish for a fast return to good health for David Rubinow
From: Leslie & Steve Greenberg

Wish for a speedy recovery to good health for Paul Olans
From: Milton & Rhoda Kellerman
From: Harvey & Paula Chandler
From: Freda Kravetz & Melvin Wolfe

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From: Geri Dermer
From: Eunice Shatz
From: Mr. And Mrs. Ronald Tanzer
From: BSR Fellowship
From: Dan Leavitt & Sally Francis

In memory of Anna White Hershfield
From: Allan Hershfield

In memory of Stanley Berger
From: Diane Berger Singer

In memory of father David Goldberg
In honor of her birthday
From: Bernice Dame

In memory of father Allan B. Tarlow
From: Michael and Arlene Greenstein

In memory of father Abraham Gordon
From: Larry Gordon

In memory of Israel Ossoff
From: Michael Ossoff

In memory of father Morris Levy
In memory of brother Nathan Levy
From: Leonard Levy

In memory of mother Ruth Copeland
From: Dorothy Silverstein

In memory of father Allan B. Tarlow
From: TobyAnne & Arnold Sidman

In memory of Frances Slotnick
From: Mr. And Mrs. Malcolm Indeck

In memory of father Abraham Gordon
From: Leona Gordon Conford

General Fund

In memory of uncle Al Tarlow
From: Howard and Phyllis Kaplan

In memory of mother Ruth Copeland
From: Judith Cohen

In memory of Melvin (Johnny) and
Barbara Zeitlan
From: Ruth I. Bord

In memory of Barbara Zeitlan
From: Robert & Marilyn Shaw
From: Ronnie Soreff
From: Michael B. Thornton
From: Triad Advertising
From: Dorothy Blatt
From: Nancy Sarnowitz & Family
From: Gwen Cohen
From: Rose Silverman
From: Nancy Kearns
From: Sid and Sue Steinkeler MD
From: David and Nancy Rozenzweig
From: Minnie Peckerman
From: Klezmer Family

Get Well to Avrom Herbster
Get Well to Merrill Herbster
From: Dan Leavitt & Sally Francis

Get Well to Avrom and Merrill Herbster
From: Geri Dermer

Wishing Avrom the Best
From: Millie Bistrowitz

In honor of Harvey C handler's 80th
birthday
From: Stanley and Sandra Simons
From: Dan Leavitt & Sally Francis

Prayer Books

In memory Harry Ankeles
From: Heidi Ankeles Reisdorf and
Cynthia Ankeles

In memory of Allan B. Tarlow
From: wife Alice Tarlow and daughter
Sharon Tarlow

Edward Edelstein Memorial Trust Fund

With a Mazel Tov to Bernie & Anita
Horowitz on the marriage
of their daughter
From: Freda Kravetz

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From: Barbara & Ruth Sigel

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To the Social Committee for making our
50th anniversary a wonderful event
From: Nate & Frumie Tanzer

Wish for a speedy recovery to good
health for Larry Freedman
From: Leslie & Steve Greenberg

In loving memory of father Mitchell
Caras
From: Sheldon & Helen Caras

In loving memory of mother Leah
Gardner
From: Helen & Sheldon Caras

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will be included in next month's
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CONGREGATION SONS OF ISRAEL LIFE CYCLE EVENTS

DEEPEST SYMPATHIES

To the family of Lester Disenhof (husband of Sylvia)

MAZEL TOV

To Irving Sacks on celebrating his 80th Birthday!

To Mel Wolfe on celebrating his 80th Birthday!

Please forward your information by the 15th of each month in order to get into the newsletter in a timely manner. Information should be sent to peabodyshul@yahoo.com or call Barbara or Ruth Sigel at 978-536-2018. You may also leave a message on the Synagogue's answering machine at 978-532-1624.



SAVE THE DATE! THE SEPTEMBER SABBATH SERVICE WILL BE HELD ON SEPTEMBER 1, 2006 at 7:30 PM!!

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A special thanks to all of you for the cards, donations, prayers and good thoughts during Paul's illness. It is well appreciated by both of us

Paul and Rhoda Olans



LOOK FOR HOLY DAY INFORMATION IN THE SEPTEMBER NEWSLETTER!